

NO SURFACE OCCUPANCY STIPULATION

No surface occupancy or use is allowed within one-half mile from centerline of occupied or influencing habitat for fluvial and adfluvial arctic grayling, including the North Fork of the Big Hole River, the Big Hole River, the Beaverhead and Ruby Rivers, and tributaries to Upper Red Rock Lake.

On the lands described below:

For the purpose of:

To ensure healthy aquatic habitat exists along rivers and tributaries important to the viability of fluvial and adfluvial arctic grayling.

Any changes to this stipulation will be made in accordance with the land use plan and/or the regulatory provisions for such changes.

Exception: An exception may be granted after a site assessment is conducted and if the operator can demonstrate in a surface use plan of operations that adverse effects can be eliminated and activities would not affect sensitive arctic grayling populations. Apply the following mitigation measures:

- a) No net increase in sediment over existing condition.
- b) No adverse effects on water quality and quantity.

Modification: NONE

Waiver: NONE

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